

CHICAGO OUTLAWRY

Things Seize a Train and Destroy the Authorities

POLICE OFFICER AT THE REAR OF A DEPERATE GANG

His Head by Sneak Thieves in Canada—Two Bad Men Shot to Death by an Officer—Homesteaded Prisoners' Cases—'Texas Jack' Taken to Denton—Burglar on Trial.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 21.—John McGrath and Walter Gaylor, members of the McGrath-Morrell gang who figured conspicuously in the murder of Police Officer Freyer several years ago, held a policeman and his brother at bay in a Chicago & Erie suburban train at Fifty-third street last night, while two of their companions caused a panic among the passengers by shooting indiscriminately through the windows of the coach. Officer Kelley of the Central Station, together with his brother, boarded the train in Chicago, which reached the freight yard at Forty-third street at 11:30 o'clock.

At that place four men boarded the first coach. Detective Bailey recognized McGrath and knowing that he was wanted, put him under arrest. With an oath McGrath declared that no officer could take him singly, handed, at the same time thrusting a revolver in the detective's face.

By this time Bailey's brother had noticed the disturbance and he also started to the rear. He was promptly stopped by Gaylor, who, with revolver in hand, told him to throw up his hands under penalty of death. McGrath gave instructions to his companions to search Bailey's pockets and took every thing he had.

All was excitement in the car. The few women in the coach rushed to the front and huddled together in one of the double seats. In the meantime McGrath's companions began shooting their revolvers through the windows and roof. The lamps were shot out and confusion reigned. Finally McGrath told the men to leave the coach, which they did, at the same time telling Gaylor to follow them. Before going he started to open the door of the coach, but was stopped by Bailey in the side of the head, thus gaining a start. When Bailey and his brother recovered McGrath and Gaylor had disappeared among the freight-cars.

MURDER CONFESSED.
MILAN, Tenn., Dec. 21.—The mystery surrounding the murder of the family of Monroe Erickson in 1879 has been cleared. Two hours before he died and in the presence of a physician and a lawyer, Jack Olson made the following statement:

Praying and desiring the prayers of others for mercy upon my wicked soul, on the night of Dec. 18, 1879, I murdered Monroe Erickson and family for my money. I was lured and over money. I had to come. I entered the house through the kitchen window, crept into the family room and killed the wife and child. Erickson awoke and started to spring from the bed, when I strangled him. He fell upon his wife, awakening her, but she blew a pistol shot. The little boy awoke screaming for mamma. With him in my hand I struck the child, dashing out his brains. The money, \$500 in paper, was found in an old sack. I leave my property to the churches.

BIG MAUL BY SNEAK THIEVES.
SARASOTA, Fla., Dec. 21.—A bold robbery was perpetrated yesterday during the dinner hour whereby a sum of money estimated at \$7,000 was stolen from the office of the Canadian Express Co. here. The agent, T. H. Cook, had been ill for about a week and confined to the house. The clerk in charge of the office locked the safe and office at 12:30 o'clock and returned at 1:30 o'clock and found the contents of the safe gone. The entrance was effected by the basement door at the back, and the safe opened by a duplicate key, which shows that the robbery was committed by some person familiar with key and office.

PEELING RUNS HIGH.
WATER VALLEY, Miss., Dec. 21.—The Foster trial for the killing of Judge Morgan was resumed yesterday, and interest in the case was unabated, as was shown by the large attendance. Among the witnesses who testified were Wm. A. Falk and Mrs. Lucy Falk, who saw the killing and heard threats made beforehand. It is said Miss Ora Barnes and Mrs. Sharpe are the two most important witnesses for the defense. J. W. Wainwright, one of the absent witnesses, has arrived, and messengers have been dispatched for all the other absent witnesses. Considerable feeling was shown towards the Fosterites by some of the Morgan party. The feeling in the town is very high and the prisoner kept carefully guarded. Judge Johnson is rushing the trial along at a lively rate and expects to give the jury the case by next Friday.

A WEALTHY SMUGGLER.
PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 21.—In the United States District Court a jury has returned a verdict of guilty in the case of Patrick Finnegan, charged with smuggling. Sentence was deferred. Finnegan is a wealthy Aroostook farmer, whose farm is situated on the Canadian border, just in Maine, and in New Brunswick. All his buildings are in Maine, except one barn, a portion of which is in Canada. It was charged that he has been

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Ladies' Hand-Embroidered Chiffon Handkerchiefs, 25c up to \$4 each.
Ladies' Embroidered Linen Handkerchiefs, 15c up to \$3.50 each.
Men's 20-inch Japanese Silk Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, 25c each, worth 50c.
Men's Hemstitched, printed borders, 25c each, worth 40c.
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\$60 Bedroom Suits.
\$75 Parlor Groups.
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Of 5 pieces

\$26.

Or on Smaller Waiter,

\$35.

Or with this Waiter,

\$42

Real Estate News.

The advancing value of central business property was demonstrated to-day in the sale of the southwest corner of sixth and Chestnut for \$127,500.

This is a vacant site with a frontage of 47 1/2 feet on the west line of sixth street by a depth of 177 1/2 feet on the south side of Chestnut. It is known as the Nicholson corner. Mr. Otto L. Meremann bought it from the Nicholson estate about three months ago for \$110,000, and the property has now been sold for him at an advance of \$17,500.

The Nicholson Realty and Financial Co. negotiated the sale, the grantor's interests in the transaction having been represented by the firm of Nelson & Meremann. In round figures the price paid was \$2,700 a foot for the sixth street frontage, or \$1,000 a foot for the ground fronting on Chestnut.

The purchasers have formed a syndicate composed of E. P. V. Ritter, Chas. C. Nicholson, Chas. K. Ramsey and others, for whom the title is taken and held by S. J. Guyre. Although this transaction has but just been closed, Mr. Ritter says the syndicate has already refused an offer of \$100,000 for the premises.

It is not decided whether the owners will sell or improve the site. At any rate it will not be long before a splendid building is erected on this commanding corner opposite the Laclede Hotel.

The Nicholson Realty and Financial Co. also report the sale of a 13x73 1/2-foot lot with a two-story house, No. 1530 Chestnut street, for \$4,500 to A. H. Green to Thomas H. Collins, for an investment.

Fancy night shirts, safoen, Dresden and silk embroidered, to order to \$1.50. GLOBE, 701 to 715 Franklin avenue.

Will Move to Twelfth Street.

Mr. Festus J. Wade says that the eight-story building occupying 75x100 feet of ground at the southeast corner of Twelfth and Locust streets, now nearing completion, has been leased for the owner, Mr. H. H. Mahan, for five years, at \$1,500 per annum, to the Uddell Woodware Co., whose old business stand on Fourth street was destroyed by fire Monday night. The location of an enterprising firm of this character will be of much importance in developing the growing business character of Twelfth street, and it will also be a great benefit to Locust street in that it will have a tendency to draw other lines of trade on that thoroughfare where so much building is now under way.

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On Chestnut Street Profits.

Cornet & Zeigler report the sale of the premises fronting 151 1/2 feet at the northeast corner of Chestnut and Eleventh streets for \$24,800 to W. L. Hanson. The property was owned by Edwin Jacobs, who bought it about three years ago for \$15,000. He was represented in the sale by Hays & Son. The price paid per front foot for this corner by Mr. Hanson was \$1,500. Several other parties were trying to purchase it at a higher price, but he got the price.

Adam fronted on the north side of Longview avenue, east of grand, at \$8 a foot to Charles F. Hanson, who purchased the place to build a home there.

ONYX TABLES, \$14 to \$150.
ONYX CABINETS, \$55 to \$150.
ONYX LAMPS, \$5 to \$50.
ONYX LUSTERS, \$15 to \$50.
ONYX CLOCKS, \$15 to \$125.
ONYX CASES, \$15 to \$125.
ONYX SETS, \$15 to \$125.
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From 75c to \$2 on Shoes you buy now at BOEHMER'S REMOVAL SALE.

Men's \$7 Cork Sole Shoes ... For \$6.00

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Men's 75c Rubbers ... For 60c

Men's 60c Rubbers ... For 40c

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CABINET GUESSING.

Political Seers Parading Out the Portfolios.

PROPHETS OF PLACES MADE BY THE PRESIDENT-ELECT.

Senator Carlisle of Kentucky said to have been offered the Treasury Post—Don M. Dickinson for Secretary of State—Democratic Prospects in Wyoming Brighter—Notes.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 21.—Senator Carlisle of Kentucky, it is said by his friends, has been asked to accept the office of Secretary of the Treasury in the Cabinet of President Cleveland. President-elect Cleveland is reported to have asked Mr. Carlisle to take this position soon after the election. To the President-elect it seems there are many elements in the makeup of the Kentucky which peculiarly fit him for this position. From what the friends of Mr. Carlisle say, it is apparent that the idea controlling Mr. Cleveland when he offered the place to Mr. Carlisle was that Mr. Carlisle's familiarity with the finances, his conservative and careful mind, and his intimate acquaintance also with the tariff would make him peculiarly useful as a guide for a House that should have the Treasury with it in preparing any measure of revenue reform.

Another political story is that Don M. Dickinson is to be Secretary of State. Mr. Dickinson has been in the city for several days, but refuses to discuss political matters. His friends, however, say that Mr. Cleveland has asked Mr. Dickinson the State portfolio. They also say he has worked very assiduously for the success of the Democratic party, is a rising man in the Western States, is personally acquainted with Democratic politicians throughout the country and has given considerable study to international questions.

The Cabinet makers idle no time away. They are busy just now with names from the Southern section of the country. Aside from the talk of John G. Carlisle of Kentucky for Secretary of the Treasury, James B. Eustis of Louisiana, James H. Blount of Georgia and Hilary A. Herbert of Alabama are much talked of as likely to be considered by Mr. Cleveland when he selects his official advisers. Ex-Senator Eustis is thought to possess exceptional qualifications for the business of the State Department. While the late Mr. Eustis served on the Foreign Committee and led his party when diplomatic matters were under consideration, he is a trained diplomat and an accomplished man, a linguist and a lecturer on international law. He criticized Mr. Cleveland as President-elect was not at first among the frequent callers at the White House, but towards the end of Mr. Cleveland's term the President and Mr. Eustis came to a high appreciation of each other. If not taken into the Cabinet, it is thought by his friends that Mr. Eustis will be made Minister to France. He speaks and writes French like a native, knows Paris as well as he does New Orleans, and is personally acquainted with the leading men of France.

Mr. Blount is rounding out twenty years of continuous service in the House. He declined renomination last fall, and was called to some responsible post by Mr. Cleveland and will return to the practice of law at Macon, Ga., after March 4. He is 60 and in vigorous health. He is Chairman of the Foreign Affairs Committee, but his most notable work in Congress has been done as Chairman of the Post-Office Committee. His friends connect his name with the Postmaster-Generalship. Mr. Herbert of Alabama has been prominently identified with the House Naval Committee since the beginning of the rehabilitation of the navy. He ably seconded Mr. Whitney's programme for building new ships, and he has adhered, sometimes against stout opposition, to that progressive policy. Mr. Herbert is Chairman of the Naval Committee. Like Mr. Blount he has retired from Congressional life voluntarily March 4. His friends think he would make an acceptable successor to Secretary Tracy. The relations between Mr. Herbert and Mr. Whitney are close. Which fact, the Cabinet makers say, must not be lost sight of.

The Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies, composed of prominent Democrats of the District of Columbia, held a meeting to-night for the purpose of electing officers. Much contention arose when the Chairman of the committee, Mr. Barrett, increased the membership of the committee appointed by Mr. Barry of the Democratic National Committee to take charge of the inaugural ceremonies of President-elect Cleveland, and resulted in the withdrawal of two members, Messrs. Henry E. Davis and George E. Hamilton, from further participation in the sessions of this body.

POLITICAL NOTES.

DEMOCRATS WIN A POINT IN THE WYOMING CONTEST.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Dec. 21.—The Democrats won another point yesterday in the Supreme Court. The Republicans induced the Democrats to include the Governorship in the mandamus proceedings. The court decided that the Governor need not be a party to the suit against the State Canvassing Board. The court also stated that it would not go into the merits of the Hanna Precinct in Carbon County, but would confine the review to the State canvass only, thus simplifying the case, which had become greatly complicated.

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THE BEST COUGH CURE

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AMUSEMENTS.

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THIRD CONCERT.

THE MESSIAH.
MUSIC HALL,

Thursday Evening, Dec. 29, 7:30.
Reserved seats dress circle and parquette, \$1; balcony, 50 cents. Now on sale at Rollman Bros., 11th and Olive sts.

GERMANIA THEATER,

14TH ST. AND LUCAS PL.

Thursday, Dec. 29.

Die Zauberflöte von Mozart.

Comedy in Three Acts by Friedrich Schiller.

The Fire Fiend Our "HOLIDAY GOODS" Sale

Did not catch us. The People, however, are CATCHING ON and treating their friends with Lovely Gifts from our Beautiful

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Over 150 Ladies' Desks sold. As many more left. Commencing to-day we make another deep cut in them and many other useful and practical items. Come and examine pieces noted below. (Remember, a handsome souvenir goes with every desk.)

2 Solid Mahogany for.....	\$45.00; reduced from \$75
3 Bird's-Eye Maple.....	30.00; reduced from 45
3 Solid Cherry.....	24.00; reduced from 40
3 Sycamore.....	12.50; reduced from 20
4 Solid Mahogany.....	25.00; reduced from 40

These and many others cut in half. Bargains in every department to make room for bank January 1. Come quick.

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611 Franklin Avenue.
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GENTLEMEN, EARNEST THOUGHTS

FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION.

FOR the past month our house has been thronged by your wives, daughters, sisters and mothers, all eagerly intent upon the selection of lovely things that shall on Christmas morn brighten and gladden the hearts in your homes.

They have purchased from us because they are convinced that beneath our roof is contained one of the world's greatest collections of lovely wares, which are sold at such low prices that it is futile to seek elsewhere for that which is beautiful, or at the low prices that prevail in our house.

Please remember, Gentlemen, that to add to the joys of Xmas morn you have but one week in which to select the pretty gifts to gladden those who have been devoting themselves to your happiness. Shall we not see you early? For your greater convenience the store will be open till 9 every night this week.

MERMOD & JACCARD JEWELRY CO.,

Open Till 9 at Night.

COR. BROADWAY AND LOCUST.

ated. It is now believed that the case will be heard on its merits this afternoon.

OREGON'S VOTE.

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 21.—The unofficial canvass of Oregon for presidential electors gives the following figures: Republican, 55,002; Democrat, 44,245; Prohibition, 2,258. Pierce, one of the Populists, who was endorsed by the Democrats, received \$5,315. The mandamus proceedings will be argued in the State Supreme Court to-morrow. The suit is brought to prevent the Secretary of State from counting the vote cast for Pierce in those counties where his name appeared twice on the official ballot.

DICKINSON'S PROPHECY.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 21.—"On and after March 4, 1893, the United States Senate will be Democratic," said Hon. Don M. Dickinson of Michigan last evening to a reporter while standing in the lobby of the Arlington. "Please do not ask me to state in detail the reason for my statement; sufficient to say that I am confident that the result will bear out my prediction."

Verdict Against a City.

PATTON, Ill., Dec. 21.—Miss Jennie A. Frew yesterday was given a verdict for \$2,500 damages from the city of Patton for injuries received from a fall occasioned by a defective sidewalk.

Cigar Cases, Cigarette Cases, Pass Cases. The largest stock and handsomest are for sale by George D. Barnard & Co., Washington avenue and Eleventh street.

Cut Glass Pieces, \$2.50 to \$200.
Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway, cor. Locust.

Golden Wedding Celebration.

DECATUR, Ill., Dec. 21.—The golden wedding of Benjamin Smith and wife was celebrated yesterday. Over 200 guests were present.

Eight o'clock to-morrow morning, "Princeton Glee Club."
Advance sale, 209 North Fourth street.

Slippers and Shoes at the Globe.

Men's Embroidered Velvet and Flannel Slippers, all colors, \$2 to \$2.50. Men's all solid seamless Bala and Congress Shoes, \$1.50; Men's seamless Golf Shoes, any style, \$2.00; Boys' and Youth's School Shoes, \$1 to \$2.50. Building sale. GLOBE, 701-715 Franklin av.

WHISKY TRUST DECISION.

The Case Will Be Carried Up to the Final Court.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 21.—Speaking of the decision in the rebate case Secretary P. J. Hennessy of the Cattle Feeding and Distilling Co. says the decision has little of danger in it to that concern. "The case before Justice Wallace," he said, "was only preliminary. We will most assuredly take it to the higher courts. We have decisions in our favor within the last six months from the three United States Courts at Cincinnati, Cleveland and New York. They practically legalize our system of doing business. Those were cases of indictment brought against the Trust by the Federal Grand Jury at Boston under the Sherman anti-trust law charging us with conspiracy to form a monopoly. The courts held that the law did not apply and that we had a right to do business as we were doing, and I think that covers the case entirely. "Of course if the higher courts sustain the Wallace decision we will be compelled to abandon the rebate system. That would not affect the stability of the trust, as we did business several years before the scheme was placed in operation. Mr. Hennessy says the sum held as rebate by the trust is nothing like \$15,000,000. Two million dollars, he states, fully covers the amount. The trust is not responsible for the recent rise in the price of whisky, whatever statements may be made to the contrary. The simple fact is the demand is so heavy we cannot meet it, and we had to raise the price to save ourselves."

A Good Printing Press Is Given Away With Every Boy's Suit

Or boy's overcoat sold in our Ready-Made Clothing Department. This is done to call your special attention to our Boys' Clothing Department. Our prices are very low and our stock is very complete. We have the largest assortment of boys' overcoats shown in St. Louis. All this season's manufacture.

MILLS & AVERILL,
Broadway and Pine.

THE Christian Endeavor Union held its last meeting for this year at the Compton and Washington avenues Presbyterian Church last evening. A symposium "Our Trust" brought out addresses from Rev. W. M. Jones, Geo. Harkness, C. E. Rink and L. M. Stearns.

Spectacles, \$1 to \$12.
Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway, cor. Locust.

MISSOURI MATTERS.

General and Personal News From Interior Towns and Cities.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—S. Hirsch of St. Louis was in the city yesterday. Dr. J. Isbell was at Isbell Station on Sunday attending the funeral of his aged mother. Geo. H. Kahmann and F. McGee, bridge builders, and railroad contractors of Kansas City, were in town yesterday. The boilers, engines and poles for the electric light plant have arrived, and a large force of men are actively pushing the work ahead. It is expected to have things ready to start up about the middle of January. Slope Lodge, No. 251, A. F. and A. M., at their regular meeting Saturday elected the following officers for the ensuing year: W. M., J. L. Jones; S. W., J. C. Kiskaddon; J. W., D. L. Parker; Treasurer, W. Pettit; Secretary, G. H. Pike; Tyler, J. L. Gregory. C. E. Zumwalt is spending a few days at home. The river was full of ice yesterday and it was running heavy all day. It continues the terrible. May Bryan will go into winter quarters, as will the present low stage of water the river would soon block.

Cut Glass Bonbons, \$2.50 to \$12.00.
Cut Glass Carafes, \$2.75 to \$12.00.
Cut Glass Decanters, \$5.00 to \$25.00.
Cut Glass Goblets, \$7.50 to \$20.00.
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Broadway, corner Locust.

Thimbles, 25 cents to \$10.
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Mrs. CHIEF PARKER WOOLLEY of Chicago read a paper on "Liberty and Loyalty in Religion," before the regular monthly banquet and meeting of the St. Louis Unitarian Club in the assembly room of the Mercantile Club last evening.

Fans, \$2.50 to \$7.50.
Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway, cor. Locust.

Ash Receivers, \$1 to \$10.
Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway, cor. Locust.

A WARRANT for manslaughter in the third degree was issued yesterday against Charles Bawn, who was accused of killing John J. Kampfer near Third and Walnut streets on Nov. 3 last.

Ear-rings, \$1 to \$25.
Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway, cor. Locust.

Garter Buckles, \$4 to \$100.
Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway, cor. Locust.

TROUBLESOME INDIANS.

Bad Weather and Lack of Food Make Them Dangerous.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 21.—Reports received from Guthrie point to great suffering in the western part of the Territory, while up in the Cherokee strip there are reported Indian troubles on account of shortage of rations. Fort Reno has not yet been called upon for troops, but an unofficial announcement says that the Indian bucks of the blanket tribes are dancing, while the women are starving. The rations were not nearly enough for a calm winter, not to speak of the sort of weather that is now prevailing. In one place ten Indians in one tepee have had but ten pounds of meat for over a week, with heavy soggy bread, and no coffee or other stimulant. There are many sick in the tribes who are dying rapidly, while the settlers who came in on the Arkansas lands are suffering for lack of clothing and food. They have lost all of their stock by cold or starvation, and the outlook for their own safety is gloomy. It is cold all over the Territory and a regular blizzard gale has been blowing for several days with fine sifting snow. No colder weather has been experienced in many years.

A War Veteran

"At Gettysburg my ankle was smashed by a bullet. The wound has caused me great suffering, breaking out in terrible sores at intervals. Physicians made two amputations. At last my blood became poisoned and I was in a few months broke out all over my face and body. One day I read about Hood's Sarsaparilla and decided to try it. Soon my wife, Mr. Hammond, in dressing my leg, said the wound looked better, and in a few months, thank God, the sores all over my body healed, and, now, four years later, have never shown any signs of reappearing." Geo. M. HAMMOND, 299 Magnolia st., Syracuse, N. Y.

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THE FOLLOWING

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At \$12.50.

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday, a lot of Black Long Coats, made of the finest quality of English Worsted, wide Valse Bedford cord, chevrons, Vienna Cloth; large collar, and facing down front of real black astrachan, Canadian seal, opossum and marten fur. Remember the price, only \$12.50.

JUST IN.

A fine new line of Gossamers, from a plain style at \$1.00 to very dressy ones with military capes at \$5.00. Mackintoshes for this week only at \$4.50. Serviceable Christmas presents.

TEA GOWNS AND WAISTS.

Ladies' Flannel Tea Gowns, made with round yokes, wadded back and full sleeves; regular \$2.50 gowns,

For \$1.50

Ladies' Cloth Waists, with jabot front; colors, navy blue, black, red and tan; regular \$1.25 waists,

For \$1.00

PORTIERES AND CURTAINS.

1 lot extra fine Chenille Portieres, assorted choice colors, with rich fringe and dado at top and bottom;

Cut Price, \$6.75 per Pair

Regular price, \$9.00.

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\$2.85 per pair Lace Curtains, Brussels effect patterns; reduced from \$4.25.

\$2.25 for choice of our entire stock of plain Fur Rugs in white, gray or black, size 68x32; big drive.

\$2.75 for silk hand-embroidered Japanese Fire Screens; well worth \$5.

35c for beautiful all-linen fine Imported Towels, with open work, size 20x56; cheap at 50c.

\$2.98 for fine all-linen 3-4 size Damask Napkins, considered cheap at \$4.

\$3 per set for extra fine white all-linen Table Set, with large size Napkins to match the cloth; value \$5.

\$3 for 21-2 yd long all-linen Damask White Table Cloth, with two rows of drawing work; worth \$5.

\$3.50 for extra fine and very heavy white Marseilles Bed-Spreads, worth \$5.

\$4.50 for choice of our stock of \$6.50 fine Elderdown Bed Comforts.

50c for Ladies' heavy pure silk Mitts, plain or fancy back, big value.

\$1.50 for a nice box containing a half-dozen Ladies' fine Hose, with black boots and fancy tops.

\$2.75 per pair for Ladies' best quality French Silk Hose, in black or colors; very cheap at \$4.

5c for Hemstitched Mull Handkerchiefs, solid color hem; good value at 10c.

12c for Swiss embroidered scolloped or hemstitched handkerchiefs; well worth 20c.

10c for hemstitched Surah Silk Windsor Ties, in all colors; best value ever offered.

\$4.50 for All-wool Cardigan Jackets, in all colors; worth \$6.

\$2.45 for 26-inch Washington Silk, Natural Stick and Hardwood Handle Umbrellas; a big bargain.

50c per pair for Fancy Silk Suspender, initials engraved free of charge, put up in a glass box; well worth \$1.

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AMUSEMENTS-TONIGHT.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE-"The Voodoo."
THE HAYDEN-"Hazel Kirke."
OLYMPIA-"Robin Hood."
HAYDEN-"Oh, What a Night."
FOURTH-THE SHILL ALARM.
FAYETTE-"New Mexico."
GERMANIA-Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday.
MATINEES TO-MORROW.
HAYDEN-"Oh, What a Night."

Weather forecast for thirty-six hours, be-
ginning at 8 a. m. to-day, for Missouri:
Local snow to night and probably Thursday;
northerly winds; colder.
The temperature has risen in the immedi-
ate vicinity of the Mississippi River from
St. Paul southward to Memphis, while in
the Rocky Mountain region from Colorado north-
ward a very marked fall has occurred. The trend
of the area of high pressure is in the latter
region. A storm is apparently developing in North-
western Texas, and moving northward.
Weather forecast for thirty-six hours, beginning at
8 a. m. to-day, for St. Louis: Snow to-day and
Thursday; colder by Thursday night.

The only thing that is done in the
City Hall is the city.

With a Democratic "push" and a Re-
publican "push" we naturally drop into
the chasm.

"Six great pugilistic events" are dis-
continued at New Orleans. Is the Republic
about to decline and fall off?

A SYSTEM of checks and balances is a
delusion when it is operated so that it does
not check and does not balance.

The law provides an admirable system of
checks on the Treasurer's office, but it
seems to have got rusty from disuse.

The shoppers appear to realize the ap-
proach of Christmas as well as other peo-
ple, and they all want to take on a Santa
Claus load.

The evidence of fraud which Congress-
man O'Neill claims to have unearthed in-
dicates that the triumph of Mr. Joy was
only a sad case of misplaced certificate.

THERE is talk of sending Mr. Harrison
to be United States Senator from Indiana
at the first opportunity. Should he
"manage his own campaign" he may get
there.

UNCLE JERRY RUSK's essay on the har-
lequin cabbage-bug is winning him golden
opinions all over the country. Uncle Jerry
will be greatly missed after the 4th of
March.

No AMERICAN banker remembers hav-
ing lost \$10,000,000 in the Panama Canal
scheme. How could an American banker
be expected to keep a little sum like that
in his head?

THE Interstate Commerce Commission
performs a service similar to that at-
tempted by the Civil Service Commission.
It rattles around and reminds the country
"once in a while" that there is a transpor-
tation problem.

THE House of Representatives never
knows what it is there for during the
three weeks before Christmas. Its meet-
ing in December is sheer waste of the
people's money, and any talent that
might happen to be found among the
members.

SENATE stealers in Wyoming are hav-
ing had luck before the Supreme Court. The
contested election suits have gone against
them on all formal and preliminary points,
and the case will probably be decided on
its merits. The real question to be passed
upon is whether a majority of three is one
or two.

SEO, 1,651 of the Revised Ordinances di-
rects a monthly audit of the Treasurer's
accounts and a count and cancellation of
redeemed coupons. If this law had been
obeyed it would have been "impossible
for the City Treasurer to be short twenty-
four hours without the knowledge of the
Comptroller."

THE duello as a mode of settling the
Panama Canal scandal is perhaps better
than prosecutions, provided it be under-
stood that the combatants are to be deadly
to both parties. If the "statesmen" of
France would pair off and fight it out the
country would lose some renowned citizens,
but it would also be relieved of a quantity
of moral garbage.

WHAT sort of a Federal Treasury system
is it which permits the Secretary to make
any kind of a report he pleases and com-
pel

Congress to appoint an investigating Com-
mittee to get at the real condition of af-
fairs? It is his duty to set forth in his re-
ports the exact truth. He owes this to the
people whose creature he is and a failure
to do so should be taken as proof that there
is something wrong or that something is
being concealed for partisan purposes. A
system should be devised to make it as
nearly as can be impossible for him to pal-
ter with the facts.

THE late delivery of yesterday's Post-
Dispatch was an incident of the removal
of old presses to make room for another
new quadruple Hoe press, now on the way
to the Post-Dispatch office. For a couple
of weeks longer we may have to crave in-
dulgence for Post-Dispatch carriers occa-
sionally. But thereafter we can promise
our patrons earlier delivery than they have
ever enjoyed before, from two great quad-
ruple presses capable of turning out 96,000
eight-page or 48,000 sixteen-page papers
per hour.

A VITAL QUESTION.

The Washington correspondent of the
WORLD, writing on the subject of the Re-
publican conspiracy to retain control of the
Senate through the so-called "influen-
ce" of wealthy manufacturers interest-
ed in the preservation of the protective
system of robbery, remarks:

All this would be bad enough if it involved
only the question of the Senate's political
complexion. It is immeasurably worse, be-
cause it is an open attempt by moneyed in-
terests to override the popular will and to
prevent legislation which the people
have twice, with increasing em-
phasis, decreed. Whether Democrats or
Republicans control the Government legisla-
tion is of small consequence in comparison
with the moral vital question whether the
American people are to rule by their votes or
as to be ruled by legislators purchased by
organized monopoly.

That vital question is directing public
attention more and more to the method of
selecting Senators, which makes the pur-
chase of seats in the interest of monopoly
easy. When the control of the Senate and
the execution of the popular will through
that control depend upon the action of a
few Legislators in which the choice of
Senators depends again upon the will of a
few legislators the problem of obtaining
it is rendered simple for organized mon-
opoly. Opportunity is afforded it to con-
centrate "influence" at a few vital points.
Both the opportunities and accidents of
politics favor them and endanger the in-
terests of the people. Senators should be
chosen directly by the people of the States
on the national issues with which the Sen-
ate must deal.

THE CAUSE OF IT.

The most favorable construction in the
Foerster defalcation to be put upon the
conduct of officials charged with the duty
of guarding the City Treasury is that
stupidity and culpable neglect combined
to render them wholly inefficient in the
performance of their proper functions.
That the Treasury was involved in trans-
actions which should have excited strong
suspicion and led to investigation a month ago is a matter of
public notoriety. How far actual knowl-
edge of wrong-doing extended, whether it
was shared by those whose imperative
duty it was to act upon it, and whether
others are involved in young Foerster's
crime are matters to be determined by
searching investigation.

The office upon whose conduct the most
serious reflection now rests is that of
Comptroller Stevenson. The law is plain
and the system of checks provided for pre-
venting or immediately discovering a
shortage in the Treasury is adequate, yet
the shortage has occurred and despite an
official investigation the theft was only
made known by suicide and an attempt to
burn the evidence of the crime. When
warned of suspicious circumstances in the
Treasurer's office some time ago Com-
ptroller Stevenson boasted of the adequacy
of the law and the system of checks. He
persisted in his boast on the edge of re-
velation. He is condemned out of his own
mouth, for the better the law and the
check system the greater is the blame
resting on his office. His chief deputy
pronounced condemnation on him by con-
fessing that the plain mandate of the law
had been neglected for months.

A peculiar feature of the situation is that
the dates of occasional compliance with
the law providing for the examination of
the Treasurer's office and the cancellation
of the coupons were made known in ad-
vance. The Treasurer and his assistants
knew when they would be called upon for
a full accounting and preparation could be
made for it. Through this knowledge Ed
Foerster evaded exposure until evasion
was no longer possible and then attempted
to destroy all traces of his defalcation by
incendiarism. His suicide followed the
failure of this plan and may be laid to the
same cause.

The similarity of circumstances under
which this defalcation and that of Noland
in the State Treasury were accomplished
is striking. Noland was enabled to con-
tinue his felonies by the Governor's neg-
lect to enforce a law which was signed by
the Governor himself, just as Foerster con-
tinued his thieving operations through the
negligence of other officials. Why pass laws
and provide safeguards if officials neglect them? Why charge officials
with the guarding of funds, if they persist
in failing against their posts and fail to
do their sworn duty?

The fault is not in the law but in the ex-
ecution of the law. As long as the people

permit official inefficiency in office to go
unrebuked, as long as they permit politi-
cal combines to use the offices for their
purposes and to keep unfit men in office
the laws will be neglected and the people
will suffer from mismanagement and rob-
bery.

A WISCONSIN female poet is writing
withering verses at those people who
have been criticizing Mr. Gould since his
departure. Says she:

Cowards, all your tongues were still
When, with mighty brain and will,
In your midst he moved and breathed—
Then your lips with smiles were wreathed.
Fawning, cringing where he trod,
As though he were a demigod.

The lady evidently did not read the
newspapers previous to Mr. Gould's de-
mise. That good man was touched up
every day in the year by one paper or an-
other. The demigod business, if there
was any, was very nearly confined to Mr.
Gould's employees.

WHETHER under a Harrison or a Cleveland
administration, whether in the hands of
Democrats or Republican officials, the mail
may always be relied upon for one thing:
they faithfully carry, to the most obscure
corner of the Union, a dun. It may be mis-
directed or unsealed, or otherwise unpre-
pared for transmission, but it has the
proper stamp. No day will go promptly and
without a dun will be on time. No di-
rections for a return are necessary on a dun.
It will be delivered, and whether the dun-
ner ears hear from the dunner or not he may
rest assured that it has not gone astray.

A CLEVELAND of this city recently declared
that if he wished to know anything about re-
ligion he would never ask a lawyer. The
good man has probably done the legal frater-
nity injustice. For a liberal fee almost
any lawyer would make him an abstract of
the longest chapter in the Bible. So long,
however, as the study of the laws of man
are profitable the bar is likely to neglect the
higher studies to some extent.

EX-CORTEL WARR, before returning to this
country as a Mohammedan missionary, does
well to raise an ample missionary fund.
Great resources will be required in making
Mohammedans of a people who are so little
given to abstention as ours, and who find
that the religious duties incident to Chris-
tianity are about all that a busy man
can well stand up to.

FRENCH courts do not believe that a hotel
is a water-gate when an injured husband
destroys the property of his wife under its
roof. And perhaps the hotel man who sued Mr.
Deacon agrees with the court, but could he
reasonably be expected to miss the oppor-
tunity for additional advertising?

PERHAPS the Texas beauty, who after a
single night's courtship married a man she
had never before seen, though she had long
been engaged to another, only meant to re-
buke profligating lovers. All young
women distrust long engagements.

NORRIS knows the name of the Oregon
girl who saved a whole train from destruc-
tion, as she did not stay to tell it. Whatever
it may be, she is subject of the meeting just
when the time shall come for her to
change it.

THE typhoid germs have been frozen up in
the water pipes, and the city's health is not
likely to be disturbed again until the cholera
germs come in from the East on their way to
the World's Fair and the Great West.

SUSAN B. ANTHONY says that we are on the
verge of a great era of married women. As
Miss Susan herself has persistently rejected
all offers of marriage, what can she expect
of other young ladies?

THE sixty-five statues of Columbus would
be a great comfort to the old man if he could
see them.

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

(No matter written on both sides of the sheet can
appear under this head.—Ed.)

Scullin's Streets.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:
Before they give away any more franchises
to John Scullin the city fathers may learn
something of the character of the man they
are about to entrust with the management of
some of the streets he has gobbled up by
former franchisees.

Mark is second Carondelet avenue, between
Victor and Sidney. He has a track laying
there for years, without a car run in it,
and he is now about to take it over. Then
there is second Carondelet avenue, be-
tween Russell and Lafayette avenues; also
State street, from Russell to Park avenue, in
the same condition. There is a horse-car
track over it about once a month.

Now, look the City Council if this is justice
to the citizens of those streets. This same
John Scullin is asking for more streets where
he may do the same thing as on the above
streets.
It does look queer, the way he and Ed Toot
handle the majority of our City Council
and House of Delegates. It seems to me
L. J. T.

Presents by Mail.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:
Remind your readers if they will send their
Christmas presents two or three days be-
fore Christmas day they will be ready to de-
liver on Sunday. Then ask the postmaster to
inform the public that he will keep the post-
office open till 12 m. Sunday the 25th, so all
who want their presents can have them by
calling Sunday.
Allow me to wish you and staff a Merry
Christmas.
O. H. K.

A Bad Dog.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:
We have been greatly annoyed for the last
year by a good-for-nothing dog which makes
night hideous and keeps the whole neigh-
borhood awake. The dog has no license,
but roams the streets near Biddle, Twentieth
and Twenty-first streets and is continually
trying to bite everybody on the street. If
public authority does not see to it some other
resource will have to be sought as it is cer-
tainly not possible for one person to main-
tain nuisances which continually annoy
others.
L. O. D.

Grin and Bear It.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:
You always show a disposition to be the
people's friend. I want to ask you how to
make an electric light corporation comply
with a contract giving the amount of light
agreed upon. They take your money and
give you what they please, at least that is
what the Municipal Council has done.

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Canadian Reciprocity Negotiations Still
Dragging—A Mexican Treasurer Shifts
a Quarter of a Million—South Ameri-
can News—Austrian Anarchist Sen-
tenced to Prison—General Foreign.

LONDON, Dec. 21.—The unstable character
of the British voters' mind is again illus-
trated. The Liberals of Wales have given
heartily support to Gladstone's home rule
ministry, as they thought they saw in the
future something of the same character for
themselves. In the Cardiff division, repre-
sented by Sir Edward Reed, they have de-
veloped two directly opposite opinions in al-
most as many minutes. From the first Mr.
Proust's appointment was very unpopular
here in certain art circles, and especially
among the members of the old Salon. Mr.
Proust has not taken much interest in his
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Duncan Ross Meets Death Through an
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An accident occurred on the St. Louis &
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of the road with Lemmingsville avenue at
7:30 o'clock this morning, which resulted in
the death of Duncan Ross, aged 22, the
driver of a coal wagon, which was
run into by electric car No. 138. The car was
going east and Ross was driving his team
south. The accident occurred at the south-
east corner of the Sheridan House, which is
at the intersection of Franklin avenue,
Easton street and Lemmingsville avenue.
Twenty-eight street. The road forms a
point between the Sheridan House and the
shots of from view approaching vehicles
going in the directions in which
the car and wagon were traveling.
When the car struck the team, Ross, who had
jumped to the ground, was knocked down by
the car and received injuries from which
he died about half an hour later. He
was taken into the office of Dr. Godfrey of
1011 North Twenty-eighth street, where
he was single and was employed by Fred
Rohrbaugh of Lincoln street, with whom
he lived. One of the mules attached to the
wagon was also badly injured. Patrick
Ross was the motorer of the car, and W. R.
Morris was the conductor. They were not
arrested, but were sent to the Third District
station, where they made a report of the
accident.

THE GREEN GOODS GAM.

The green goods men are still industriously
engaged sending out circulars. Gentlemen
in this city have received documents stating
the price at which this excellent quality of
counterfeit can be obtained. Accompanying
these is a bogus newspaper clipping, in-
forming the Government losing millions on re-
demanding duplicate greenbacks, the duplicate
of course go to the counterfeit bills course.
The letter instructs the receiver not to
send any of the bills to the post office, but
to send them to the Western Union Telegraph
Co., and to address H. Lissett, 301 Morris av-
enue, Elizabeth, N. J.

Knights of St. Patrick Election.

A meeting of the Knights of St. Patrick will
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year will be elected. The President, Dan
Garrity, announces that the society is in a
flourishing condition, with 140 members on
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Henry Watterson to Lecture Here.
Henry Watterson, the distinguished Ken-
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is reported that there are 4,000 Indians
banded together ready to start a revolution.
An expedition has been sent by the Govern-
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The provinces of Chiquitos and Velasco on
the Brazilian frontier are threatened by
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armed men has marched out to capture them.
While Panama scandals are being un-
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in anticipation of a speedy return to earnest
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of placing in the hands of the executive the
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out further reference to that body. At the
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GENERAL FOREIGN NEWS.

FRENCH WORLD'S FAIR EXHIBITS—ANARCHIST
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PRIZES AND CONDITIONS.

There are 102 presents, amounting to ex-
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One Present of \$100.
Two Presents of \$50 Each.
Four Presents of \$25 Each.
Sixty Presents of \$15 Each.
Twenty-five Presents of \$10 Each.
Sixty Presents of \$5 Each.

The last coupons printed in the Post-
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The boy or girl who sends in the largest
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in gold.

The two next largest will get \$50 each in
gold.
The four next largest will get \$25 each in
gold.
The ten next largest will get \$15 each in
gold.
The twenty-five next largest will get \$10
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And the sixty next largest will get \$5 each
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In answer to E. C. M. it may be said that
no person connected with the Post-Dispatch
is allowed to compete for a prize. Any re-
sponders you may have heard are without founda-
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LULA NOEL'S FATE.

Murdered and Placed in a River to Hide the Crime.

LATEST DEVELOPMENTS IN JOPLIN'S SENSATIONAL TRAGEDY.

Wm. Simmons Charged With the Crime—She Was Last Seen Alive in His Company—Suspicious Movements of the Accused Before Arrest—His Record Against Him.

JOPLIN, Mo., Dec. 20.—William Simmons was arrested at the home of his brother in this city Monday night on a warrant charging him with having murdered Miss Lula Noel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noel, who live near the station at Langan, on the south bank of the Cowkin River in McDonald County.

On Wednesday, the 7th of December, Wm. Simmons, an employee of the Picher White Lead Works, boarded the morning south-bound Spitting train and went to Langan, one mile east of which place live Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Holly. Mrs. Holly is a sister of Lula Noel, the murdered girl. Simmons went to the Holly farm to visit for a few days. About one year ago Simmons, who was a fugitive from Joplin for having furnished a gun and advised an officer, visited the Indian Territory and while there he met Lula Noel, who was visiting at the home of her sister. When Simmons arrived at the Holly home, Miss Noel was there. Saturday, Dec. 10, at 9 a. m., Mr. and Mrs. Holly left home to visit a neighbor across the river. They intended to return at night, but during the day the river became swollen and they remained away until Sunday, Dec. 11. Returning they found the house deserted, Simmons and Lula both gone. They felt no alarm, as they thought Simmons had probably returned to Joplin and Miss Noel to the home of her parents, which is on the south side of the Cowkin about a mile from Hollys. The next day it was learned that she had not returned home and it was supposed that she had gone to Joplin with Simmons and thence to Webb city to visit an uncle, as she had talked of doing once before. Friday, the 16th, came and the girl had not returned nor had anything been heard from her.

Growing uneasy Mr. Holly and Lula's father came to Joplin to learn from Simmons where she had gone. They met Simmons on the street and asked him where Lula was. He evinced much surprise and declared that he did not know if she was at home. Simmons made the following statement: "I left Lula about 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, the 16th. She said that she was going home. I asked her how she would get across the river. She said she would call to her cousin (her uncle lives on the south bank of the Cowkin and near the river) and he would row the boat across for her. I left her and walked to Langan, where I took the train for Joplin."

During the conversation Simmons suggested that Lula might have fallen in the river. A street car came driving down the street toward them and he seemed to be apprehensive. He inquired nervously what that carriage was coming for. Mr. Noel and Mr. Holly, suspecting that he was not right, and taking a cue from Simmons' suggestion that Miss Noel might have fallen in the river, they returned home, and on Saturday, Dec. 17, a party was formed to drag the river in search of Lula's body.

About 11 o'clock in the morning her body was found. Examination by competent physicians disclosed the fact that her neck had been broken by a blow with a blunt instrument on the left side of her head, just above the temple, which had also fractured the skull, although the skull was not right, but was badly bruised. A blue fascinator was wrapped about her head. She had left her hat on the bank at Hollys. Investigation disclosed that when Simmons left Hollys or the vicinity he had walked to Langan, where he arrived there a few minutes before the Spitting passenger bound south. He inquired of the agent to buy a ticket. He bought a ticket, but did not buy a ticket. He waited about the depot until the train had pulled out, and then walked across the road to the boarding-house, where he ate supper and remained during the night. He did this, it is supposed, to lead the people to think he had just arrived from Joplin. In the morning he came to Joplin and was arrested. It is absolutely certain that Lula Noel was murdered. She was dead before her body entered the water.

The theory of the officers is that Miss Noel and Simmons quarreled, that Simmons, in a transport of rage, took her over the head and neck with the butt of a heavy revolver which he carried in his pocket at the time. He killed her and, to hide his crime, threw the body in the river. Examination of the body disclosed that she had been outraged, as at first supposed. Whether the killing took place in the house at Hollys or at the river side is only a matter of conjecture.

Mr. Noel and Mr. Holly, believing that Simmons had murdered Lula, came to Joplin. A warrant charging Simmons with murder was placed in Marshal Coter's hands and Monday night the arrest was made. As stated above, Simmons has been employed at the White Lead Works. Monday evening he was United States Marshal and Officer Vancil coming towards the works. He immediately quit his work and hurried to the home of his brother. It is believed that he was preparing for flight when arrested. He stoutly denied the crime. Simmons is a tough character and is well known to the police. He is fairly good looking, about 35 years of age, 5 feet 10 inches tall, dark hair, blue eyes, has a brown mustache and weighs probably 150 pounds.

Miss Noel, the victim, is described as a very pretty girl. She was about 25 years old and the youngest daughter of W. L. Noel, the Assessor of McDonald County. Her family and her relatives are among the best known and wealthiest people of Newton and McDonald Counties. They were ignorant of the character of Simmons.

Pictures for Presents.

A big variety at all kinds of prices from 15c to \$25. Heffernan, 1010 Olive street. Open till 9 p. m. this week.

JERSEY and Smoking Jackets, \$2.50 to \$5. GLOBE, 701 to 715 Franklin avenue.

HART Coal Co. make specialty of supplying families with coal. Try them.

A Sporting Pastor.

DES MOINES, Io., Dec. 21.—Des Moines Presbytery is in special session here to try Rev. George W. Baxter, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Knoxville, Io., who is charged with unbecoming conduct through excessive use for fast horses and pretty women. It seems that Rev. Baxter is the owner of a fast horse and has at different times exercised him on Knoxville track. He is also charged with having been engaged to at least two women at one and the same time. The trial will last some days.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething softens the gums and allays all pain. 25c.

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We will sell you a Boy's Suit, or Overcoat as low as 75c. splendid suits and Overcoats, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 and \$3.50. Finest Baltimore Merchant Tailor suits and Overcoats, \$4 to \$7.50. Fine furs and handbags. Reopening sale. GLOBE, 701 to 715 Franklin avenue.

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A JOURNALISTIC TRAMP.

Arduous Undertaking of a Danish Newspaper Man.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 21.—Seven Wren, the Seattle Star of Danish Journalism, and correspondent of the Journal Dannebrog of Copenhagen, Denmark, has reached Chicago, en route home via China, India and Northern Africa. Mr. Wren has undertaken the most difficult though interesting feature of journeying around the world without any monetary assistance whatsoever within a prescribed time of eighteen months, although with the privilege of accepting the hospitality of friends and others interested in his task. Mr. Wren departed from Copenhagen Sept. 16 for Liverpool. From Liverpool he shipped on the Danish bark Jorgensen, bound for Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 1. Arriving in Wilmington Dec. 1, he continued on to Chicago, where he arrived Dec. 21. Through the influence of agents of the Thriftville Steamship Line Mr. Wren is enabled to reach Denver, where he expects to arrive Dec. 22. From San Francisco he goes to China, thence through India and via the Suez Canal to the north coast of Africa, which he will follow until encountering a Danish ship which can be induced to convey him homeward. Judging from the young man's expressed opinion the subject his vicissitudes have tended to increase rather than diminish his zeal, and he hopes to reach Copenhagen certainly within eight months.

Buy Your Hats and Gloves at the Globe.

Fine Stiff Hats, \$1 and \$1.50. Regular \$3 Derby, \$2; \$5 Silk Hats, \$3. Nobbier Children's Hats and Caps, 25c to \$1.25; 75c and 1c buy fine dress gloves. Rebuilding sale. GLOBE, 701 to 715 Franklin avenue.

A DESIRABLE Xmas gift. A Smith Premier Typewriter.

To Promote Islamism.

Alexander H. Webb, who several months ago resigned the position of United States Consul at Manila, Philippine Islands, in order to preach Islamism, is now soliciting funds at Hyderabad to send Islamic missionaries to the United States. Mr. Webb was for a number of years a well-known newspaper man of this city. He intends to start Islamic newspapers and lecture courses in this country.

Given Away Free.

Fine Zithers, Banjos and Drums. GLOBE, 701 to 715 Franklin avenue.

Marital Bonds Quickly Severed.

MARSHALL, Ill., Dec. 21.—Yesterday afternoon Judge Wright granted eight divorces in thirty-two minutes. It is believed that he holds the record for speed.

Are You Squirreling?

And is it pain that causes you to squirm? Rheumatism will make any one wince. Counteract it, as you can readily do, at the outset with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which expels the rheumatic virus from the blood and promptly relieves the tortures that it produces. The evidence in its behalf on this point is ample and conclusive, and embraces the deliberate affirmations of many medical practitioners. Like all standard preparations, the Bitters deserve a persistent trial, which if it receives, the happiest and most thorough results may be confidently anticipated. For malaria, kidney and liver complaints, neuralgia, nervousness, indigestion and loss of flesh and appetite it is a world-famous remedy. Obviate after debilitating ailments is much facilitated by it.

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For gentlemen in the way of a handsome Tailor-Made OVERCOAT, SUIT or a FANCY VEST. We will sell you an elegant Silk or Satin-lined OVERCOAT for \$20 that was originally made up to order for \$45.

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THE THIRD NATIONAL BANK, St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 21, 1922.—The regular election for directors of this bank will be held on the second Tuesday, Jan. 30, 1923, in the banking room, 1000 Olive St., at 9 o'clock a. m. A full list of names open for election will be published in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, Dec. 22, 1922.

SPECIAL NOTICE—Store will be open till 9 o'clock every night this week.

FREE! A beautiful 50c Japanese Cup and Saucer presented to every purchaser in our Ladies' and Men's Slippers at \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.

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Beautiful Silk Neckties go at 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1!

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Handsome Silk Handkerchiefs at 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 4.50, 5.00, 5.50, 6.00, 6.50, 7.00, 7.50, 8.00, 8.50, 9.00, 9.50, 10.00, 10.50, 11.00, 11.50, 12.00, 12.50, 13.00, 13.50, 14.00, 14.50, 15.00, 15.50, 16.00, 16.50, 17.00, 17.50, 18.00, 18.50, 19.00, 19.50, 20.00, 20.50, 21.00, 21.50, 22.00, 22.50, 23.00, 23.50, 24.00, 24.50, 25.00, 25.50, 26.00, 26.50, 27.00, 27.50, 28.00, 28.50, 29.00, 29.50, 30.00, 30.50, 31.00, 31.50, 32.00, 32.50, 33.00, 33.50, 34.00, 34.50, 35.00, 35.50, 36.00, 36.50, 37.00, 37.50, 38.00, 38.50, 39.00, 39.50, 40.00, 40.50, 41.00, 41.50, 42.00, 42.50, 43.00, 43.50, 44.00, 44.50, 45.00, 45.50, 46.00, 46.50, 47.00, 47.50, 48.00, 48.50, 49.00, 49.50, 50.00, 50.50, 51.00, 51.50, 52.00, 52.50, 53.00, 53.50, 54.00, 54.50, 55.00, 55.50, 56.00, 56.50, 57.00, 57.50, 58.00, 58.50, 59.00, 59.50, 60.00, 60.50, 61.00, 61.50, 62.00, 62.50, 63.00, 63.50, 64.00, 64.50, 65.00, 65.50, 66.00, 66.50, 67.00, 67.50, 68.00, 68.50, 69.00, 69.50, 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